GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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NEXUS OF TRAFFIC POLICE
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of traffic personnel caught red-handed for taking bribe from the private vehicle owners during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the action taken against them; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to break the nexus of the traffic police with private vehicle owners?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI)

(a) to (c): `Public Order` and `Police`, being State subjects, it is for the State Governments to deal with cases of bribe taken by Traffic Police Personnel. Information regarding the number of traffic personnel caught red-handed for taking bribe from the private vehicle owners and the action taken against them is not compiled and monitored by Central Government.